

NO AGREEMENT AT EL PASO CONFERENCES

CARRANZA COMPELS OBREGON TO REVERSE HIS ATTITUDE

MATTER IS REFERRED BACK TO AMERICAN AND MEXICAN GOVERNMENTS

Mexicans Still Insist on Withdrawal of Pershing's Force—Point Out that There is No Immediate Threat of Rupture—Mexican Bandits Fire on American Soldiers—War Department Takes Every Possible Precaution.

BULLETIN.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, May 11.—Curtis Bayles, an American farmer, was shot and killed late tonight a short distance from his home near Mercedes, Texas, by band of four or five Mexicans who succeeded in escaping, presumably to the Mexican side of the Rio Grande.

Whether the Mexicans came from the south side of the river has not been determined. Thirty United States cavalry with a posse of citizens from Mercedes, started immediately in pursuit, but at midnight had found no trace of the band.

EL PASO, Texas, May 11.—After almost two weeks of discussion the conferences of Generals Scott, Funston and Obregon over American troop dispositions in Mexico came to an end tonight without any agreement being reached. The whole matter was referred back to the American and de facto governments to be settled thru diplomatic channels.

Tonight the situation is almost exactly where it stood before the conferences began. The Mexicans still insist upon the withdrawal of General Pershing's commands upon a certain date and want that date to come quickly.

Carranza Overrules Obregon

General Obregon has been willing to reach an agreement with the American conferees. He has been overruled by the first chief Venustiano Carranza, and his advisers.

After practically conceding the demands of the American conferees he was compelled to reverse his attitude.

The end of the negotiations came today after two conferences had been held. The first began at 10 o'clock in the morning and lasted until 1 p.m., when a recess was taken until four o'clock to permit General Obregon to keep a lunch engagement. Sharp on the hour the discussions were renewed. After two hours and a half, however, they were brought to an end. General Obregon, accompanied by Juan N. Amador, Mexican sub-secretary of foreign affairs, emerged from the private car occupied by Generals Scott and Funston, walked rapidly down the railway yards, climbed into his waiting automobile and drove away. Colone Robert E. Lee Michie, aide to General Scott, distributed copies of the following statement to the waiting newspapermen:

"We wish to announce that, after several conferences, marked throughout with conspicuous courtesy and good will, in which conferences mutual impressions were exchanged and information was collected on the military situation on the frontier, it was agreed upon by the conferees to suspend the conferences and report back to their governments, in order that these may be able, thru their respective foreign departments to conclude this matter, and that the ending of these conferences does not mean in any way a rupture of the good relations of friendship between the conferees nor between the respective governments."

(Signed)

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Significantly enough conditions along the border were emphasized tonight by the receipt of dispatches from Marathon, Texas, stating that Mexican bandits again had crossed

into American territory and fired on American soldiers and civilians. According to another report a military automobile conveying messages from George T. Langhorne to Colonel Frederick W. Sibley, commander of the expeditionary force in the Big Bend district, has been made the target for shots fired by Mexicans. Army men here refuse to comment on these occurrences except to state that they were likely to be repeated at intervals.

With negotiations here ended and the discussion reverting to Washington and the direct control of President Wilson and Secretary Lansing more became known tonight of the developments of the fortnight just passed. It is now stated positively that the Mexican government so far as that part of it represented by General Carranza is concerned, has not for one instant admitted the consideration of any other subject than withdrawal.

DOES NOT PRODUCE CRITICAL SITUATION

Washington, May 11.—While no official report from General Scott had arrived tonight that his conference with General Obregon, the Carranza war minister, had failed to bring about an agreement as to the border situation, it was clear that administration officials after reading the news despatch did not regard the failure as producing a critical situation in the relations between the United States and the Mexican de facto government.

General Scott was expected to prepare a full report for President Wilson which should reach Washington in time for consideration at the cabinet meeting tomorrow. Both state department officials and Ellison Arredondo, the Mexican ambassador designate have been prepared to resume the task of discussing the border situation at the point where the diplomatic questions were suspended when the military conference was arranged. The ambassador called at the state department today to talk over the general situation with Secretary Lansing. He is understood to have reiterated the arguments of General Carranza in urging early withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico.

Mr. Arredondo previously has said that the failure of Generals Scott and Obregon to reach an understanding in no way affected the diplomatic situation. He has sought to continue the discussion while the conference was in progress but Secretary Lansing declined to take up the matter suggested in the Carranza note of April 12, until the El Paso conferees had ended their deliberations.

OFFICIALS NOT FULLY ADVISED

Administration officials have not been fully advised as to the discussions in El Paso and unquestionably will need complete reports from Generals Scott and Funston in order to know how to deal with the suggestion that a definite date be set for withdrawal. So far President Wilson has shown no indication of altering his original policy in sending the troops into Mexico. They were ordered to capture or disperse the bandits who have harassed American towns along the border. The fact that unofficial reports came tonight of a new raid is considered proof positive that General Pershing's task has not been completed.

There is every reason to believe his force will remain in Mexico until it has been completed either by American or Carranza soldiers and that the ending of these conferences does not mean in any way a rupture of the good relations of friendship between the conferees nor between the respective governments.

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STATE BOARD GIVES OUT PRIMARY FIGURES

ALL REPUBLICAN DELEGATES PREFER SHERMAN FOR PRESIDENT

Democratic Delegates Will Include One Man Who Expressed No Preference—Only Four Names on the Progressive Ticket.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 11.—While the eight delegates at large to the Republican national convention all expressed a preference for Lawrence Y. Sherman for president, the eight delegates at large to the Democratic National convention will include one man—Robert Emmet Burke—who expressed no preference. The other Democratic delegates at large were all Woodrow Wilson men. The figures were made public today by the state canvassing board.

Alto the Progressives were entitled to elect eight delegates at large, there were but four names on the ticket. All will receive certificates of election as will John Maynard Harlan, who was making the race on the Republican ticket, where he received 113,716 votes—not enough to win.

Twenty nine Progressives wrote his name on their ballots, however, and Mr. Harlan may attend the Progressive National convention if so minded.

Senator Sherman received 155,945 votes for the presidential nomination on the Republican ticket. President Wilson was given 136,839 on the Democratic ticket; W. J. Bryan got 33 votes, and Roger Sullivan two.

Raymond Robbins, Henry Ford, M. McCormick and William Allen White were among a number who received one vote each for the presidential nomination on the Progressive ticket.

Theodore Roosevelt received 1,031 votes on the Progressive ticket, two on the Democratic ticket and 15,348 on the Republican ticket.

Senator Sherman took ten votes on Progressive ticket also, but was "not listed" by any Democratic voters.

The results of the canvass of the recent primary election made public today by Secretary of State Lewis G. Stevenson, show that the following were elected delegates at large to the Democratic national convention by the votes given:

Robert M. Switzer 118,919

Edward F. Dunne 112,536

Roger Sullivan 111,265

Henry T. Rainey 108,341

Robert Emmet Burke 88,718

Carter H. Harrison 52,921

Jacob R. Creighton 84,413

Jackson R. Pearce 82,616

The Republican delegates at large follow:

William B. McKinley 148,595

Medill McCormick 147,641

William J. Calhoun 143,637

William A. Rodenberg 143,290

Isaac N. Evans 140,569

Roy O. West 138,634

William Hale Thompson 137,941

Garrison DeF. Kinney 136,677

But five names were on the Progressive ticket and as eight delegates at large, all were elected. Their names and the vote received follow:

Raymond Robbins 2,239

Frank H. Funk 2,308

James R. Campbell 2,272

Harold L. Ickes 2,263

John Maynard Harlan 29

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President Andrew Schneider, of Arcola; vice-president, Charles A. Paesch of Chicago; secretary, Edward T. Cissold of Chicago; treasurer, George Geissler of Joliet and executive board member Theodore Soellner of East St. Louis to succeed George Grim of Peoria whose term expired. Grimm was nominated for vice-president but withdrew.

Prof. C. H. Bailey of the University of Minnesota read a paper on diseases to which bread is heir. He said the "rope germ" which often causes bread to be soggy and hard inside might be killed by plenty of sunlight.

Springfield will probably be selected by the executive committee as the next convention seat.

LAUD WILSON'S ADMINISTRATION.

Baltimore, Md., May 11.—The Democratic state convention here today lauded the administration of President Wilson and instructed the Maryland delegation to the National convention at St. Louis to vote as a unit for his renomination.

GOTCH VIRTUALLY RECOVERS.

Humboldt, Iowa, May 11.—Frank Gotch, champion wrestler, virtually has recovered from his recent illness, it was announced today by physicians. The doctors said however, he would not be able to resume his public exhibition for several weeks.

KINGS DAUGHTERS CONVENE.

Burlington, Iowa, May 11.—The first day of the third biennial international convention of Kings Daughters here was taken up with registration and by tomorrow it is expected representatives from thirty states and one from Canada will be present. Tonight addresses of welcome and responses were made followed by a musical program at the Congregational church. Business sessions will begin tomorrow.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

DANVILLE, Ill.—Five prisoners in the county jail, headed by Harry McDonald, safe blower, made an unsuccessful attempt to break out of the institution.

CHICAGO.—Two hundred and seventy-seven policemen and officers have been appointed by Chief of Police Charles C. Healey for duty at the Republican National convention to be held here in June.

MOLINE, Ill.—Licensed embalmers of Rock Island County met here, completed organization, and unanimously voted to raise the minimum fee for embalming from \$15 to \$25.

They say they have been hard hit by the war and that business at \$15 is gone at a loss.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill.—Helen Schaefer, aged 3, was burned to death at Minonk when the family home was burned. Tramps rescued two other children.

DANVILLE, Ill.—The burning of a grain elevator at Ade, Ind., made the sixth large grain elevator to be thus destroyed during the past week in Eastern Illinois and Western Indiana. The others were located at Hastings, Ivesdale, Jessie, Metcalf and Hume.

BERLIN—by wireless to Sayville—Gregory Rasputin, the Russian monk, who is reputed to have exercised great influence over Emperor Nicholas has been assassinated according to reports from Petrograd, received in Bucharest.

CHARLESTON, Ill.—Dr. J. T. Montgomery, 63, former trustee of the state university and at one time head of the state board of agriculture lies at the point of death here as a result of a fall while stepping into his car when he bruised three toes on his right foot. Inflammatory rheumatism, poisoning and pneumonia set in.

WAGE INCREASES TO BE GRANTED WORKMEN AT ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL

Will Be Based on Scales of Similar Private Plants at Rock Island, Moline and Davenport.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Secretary Baker announced late today that wage increases to be determined later would be granted to workmen in the government arsenal at Rock Island, Ill. He said, however, that the increases would not be based on the wage scale paid similar workmen in Chicago or in cities adjacent to Rock Island, but would be based on the scales of similar private plants at Rock Island, Moline, Ill., and Davenport, Iowa.

Secretary Baker said he believed the increases, based upon recommendations of the department of labor and representing a compromise between proposals of the workmen and the arsenal management would be accepted as satisfactory. In recommending exclusion from the basis of calculation of the private plants at Chicago and the other points near Rock Island, Secretary Baker said the department of labor reported that it was not fair to consider places with different living standards.

General Crozier, chief of ordnance, will compute the increases. The workmen petitioned for readjustments by May 15 and the increases will be determined by that time the secretary said. The secretary recently declared that the government should be a "model" employer, by paying slightly above private wage scales and offering better working conditions.

SEN. SHERMAN TAKES UP FIGHT AGAINST RIVER AND HARBOR BILL

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Senator Sherman took up the fight against the \$43,000,000 rivers and harbors appropriation bill today after Senator Kenyon had spoken more than two days against the measure. The Illinois senator was speaking when the senate recessed tonight until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

He attacked the general provisions of the bill, and urged an amendment to permit the state of Illinois to continue work on its project for a waterway between the Mississippi River and Lake Michigan. Before he yielded the floor, Senator Kenyon gave notice that he would resume his effort to have adopted his substitute which would appropriate a lump sum of \$20,000,000 to be expended on river and harbor work by the war department.

STALLINGS TO FILE PROTEST AGAINST GAME WON BY CUBS

CHICAGO, May 11.—Manager George Stallings of the Boston National League team will file a protest against the game won by the Chicago team today. In the second inning of the contest Snodgrass struckout and Umpire Quigley sent Smith back from third to first base. Smith had singled and at Snodgrass' third whiff the ball bounced from Catcher Archer's hands and struck the batter and caromed off toward the grand stand. Smith ran from first to third, but Quigley ordered him back on the ground of interference with the ball in play.

Stallings claims Smith could not legally be sent back, as the batter did not interfere with the ball at the plate and as there was no interference the runner could go as far as he liked. This is made the basis for his protest to President Tener of the National League.

PEORIA WINS TEAM SHOOT.

Bloomington, Ill., May 11.—Peoria won the team shoot of the Central Illinois Trapshooter's Tournament here today, scoring 122 out of a possible 128. Bloomington was second with 119, Lincoln third, 117, and Decatur fourth with 110.

FLYING BOAT FALLS; TWO ARE MISSING

BIG CRAFT WRECKED IN PLUNGE INTO THE POTOMAC

Pilot and Two Others Are Injured—Loss of Propeller Is Believed to Have Been Responsible for Accident.

Washington, May 11

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CITY AND COUNTY

Harry Oakes was here from Bluffton yesterday on business.

J. W. McAllister of Woodson was in the city yesterday.

Joseph G. Dowell was up from Franklin on business yesterday.

J. W. Glasgow of Quincy spent Thursday in the city on business.

R. O. Smith of Pittsfield was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

W. S. Dickison of White Hall was a caller on city people yesterday.

Mrs. A. L. McClay of Hillview was a shopper in the city Thursday.

Mrs. James Johnson of Arcadia was a caller on city people yesterday.

T. P. Langdon of Murrayville was a caller on city people yesterday.

Note the prices: Curtains washed, stretched or ironed, 35c per pair. The Grand Laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dyer of Murrayville were city visitors yesterday.

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Their dispositions grow more sweet
Each trip they make to him for meat.

Whether Roast, or Boil, or this-or-that,

Or merely Liver for the old gray cat;

The Butcher's smile is all the same,

A sunshine smile in spite of rain.

So send the girls and boys to see

The Butcher Man in all his glee.

DORWART'S
MARKET

C. P. Wilson was a representative of Waverly in the city yesterday.

J. W. Linkins of Peoria was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

William Moulton of Waverly was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. G. D. Barnes of Manchester was among the city visitors yesterday.

The finest strawberries, 10c a quart. **Wilson & Harding, W. State**

Albert Hall and son James were in the city yesterday from Prentice.

S. J. Workman of Springfield was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

A. Morrison of Griggsville was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Dr. Waters of Murrayville was a professional visitor in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. C. E. Willard of Concord was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. R. C. Curtis of Manchester enjoyed yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. Raymond Newham of Perry was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Try brick ice cream: Princess.

Wm. Crain of the south part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

J. W. Ledford of the east part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Ashford Ator of Arcadia was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Bert Coulas of Winchester was transacting business in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. A. M. Hall of Arcadia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Richard Cunningham of Peoria was visiting Jacksonville friends yesterday.

R. G. Trunnels of White Hall was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Waters of Sullivan was among the visitors in the city Thursday.

Crushed strawberry cream: Princess.

Mrs. Frank Long and son Ryman made a trip from Ashland to the city yesterday.

W. H. Staffelbach of Beardstown was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. B. White and son were arrivals in the city yesterday from Woodson.

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Mrs. Flossie Runyan of the south part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

W. L. Ashbaugh of Waverly was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Miss Emma Holt of Girard was among the business visitors in the city Thursday.

Mrs. A. W. Jewsbury of the region of Markham was a city shopper yesterday.

Ladies white Fur Scarfs the summer styles, are shown by **FRANK BYRNS Hat Store**.

Henry Alderson of Chapin was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

J. P. Haynes and family of Champaign were among the city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. H. C. McConnell of Manchester was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

E. E. Epler went to Ashland last evening for a visit with his friend, John E. Beggs.

Fred Beggs of Ashland was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. F. W. Parsons of Stonington was trading with I-cab merchants Thursday.

Miss Catherine Thompson of Alexander was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Claypool of Greenfield were visiting Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mrs. H. M. Tulip of Franklin was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Hear Van Katwijk the Dutch Pianist at L. W. C. Friday, May 12, 50c admission.

Mrs. John Irving and daughter, Mabel were arrivals in the city yesterday from Aransasville.

Samuel T. Zachary of the east part of the county was calling on city friends yesterday.

Miss Nelle M. Cudy, teacher of the school near Arnold, was one of the city's callers yesterday.

Mrs. G. W. Deterding of Aransasville was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Guy Brown of the south part of the county was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. John Lane, son Arthur and daughter Anna were arrivals in the city from Perry yesterday.

John Ryman of Alexander was added to the list of business men visiting the city yesterday.

Joseph B. Lombard of Waverly was numbered among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. C. Reid of the north part of the county was doing spring shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jewsbury were arrivals in the city yesterday from the west part of the county.

Mrs. Edward Ator, son Frank and daughter Hattie, were down to the city yesterday from the north part of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. DeFrates of Beardstown were in the city yesterday.

day and Mr. DeFrates went to the Norbury sanitarium for treatment.

Miss Ethel Bishop has returned to her home in Murrayville after a pleasant visit with her brother, E. L. Bishop on Chambers street.

Mr. Ensley Moore returned last night from Springfield where he went to attend the sessions of the State Historical society of which he is a member.

Rev. George Bergen, at one time a missionary to India and for a time a resident of this place and now of the east, is visiting his old friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stevenson of this city.

W. G. Ebey and son, Frank, of Oskaloosa, Iowa, who have been visiting Mr. Ebey's sister, Mrs. S. E. Snow, departed for home yesterday by way of Springfield where they will visit Mr. Ebey's niece, Miss Catherine Hardin.

A horned handed son of toll this week is George Lukeman, who is driving the team attached to the corn planter on his father's farm near Franklin. George is an adept at this phase of farm work and the rows he plants are so accurate that people stop as they pass by and wonder how it was accomplished.

The annual exhibit of work in cookery and sewing held Thursday afternoon and evening in the domestic science rooms of Jacksonville high school were creditable in high degree and called forth words of great appreciation on the part of the many visitors who came to inspect the exhibit. Miss Ella Newman of the cooking department, and Miss Agnes Rogerson, the instructor in sewing, were in charge. They were aided in the reception of visitors by several of the domestic science students.

The cookery exhibit included various dishes by individual pupils, a display of 100-calorie portions showing comparative food values, a table set for a model luncheon and a display of jellies.

In the sewing room were shown dresses and class day gowns made by members of the third year class, kimonos, waist and princess slips, work of the second year girls, and aprons and undergarments, work of the first year class.

Following are Miss Rogerson's pupils in the third year sewing class: Misses Margaret Waller, Mildred Waller, Estelle Schofield, Zelma Benson, Fay Skinner, Esther Agnew, Ethel Lucas, Joy Bourne, Anna Hembrrough, Helen Mansfield, Edith Ferguson, Lulu Belle Hildreth, Florence Jordan, Hollis Ryman, Loretta Piepenbring, Marie Corrington and Edith Mills.

The articles in the tempting display of cookery and the exhibitors were:

Peanut cookies—Louise Boston and Irene Ferguson.

Plain cake—Helen Jackson.

Coffee cake—Ruth Wells and Lillian Smith.

Cream puffs and chocolate eclairs—Helen Carlson and Edith Claus.

Hot water gingerbread—Helen Hettick and Harriet Dunlap.

Rice and cheese croquettes—Star Boston.

Timbale cases—Helen Mansfield, and Lulu Belle Hildreth.

Graham muffins—Mary Wolfe and Edith Stewart.

Biscuits—Helen Smith and Lucille Foster.

Doughnuts—Edith Moore and Florence Jordan.

Soft molasses gingerbread—Helen Smith and Elsie Koenig.

Spanish cake—Florence Jordan.

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THE 33D BUICK SOLD.

Howard Zahn, agent for the popular Buick automobile, has sold the 33d car, a Buick 6, seven passenger, to a purchaser who desires his name withheld.

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King.

Mrs. Lucia K. Mason of this city has received word of the recent death of her brother, James S. King of Kansas City. Death was due to the weakness of old age and hastened by a recent accident.

The deceased was born in Pittsburgh, Penn., March 17, 1881. He was one of nine brothers; one died in infancy and the other was too small to enlist and the other seven all served in the civil war.

He was married to Miss Margaret Branson, daughter of the late Wm. Branson of this city. His wife died some years ago and he is survived by two sons, Edwin and James of Kansas City; two daughters, Mrs. Esther Wattles of Burlington, Kan., and Mrs. Edwin Hunt of Kansas City. He leaves one brother, Joseph of Wichita, Kansas, a sister, Mrs. Mary King of Chicago, and Mrs. Lucia K. Mason of this city. He is also survived by seven grandchildren and one great grandchild.

SANDERS.

McClure Andrew Sanders died at the residence of the parents, 466 South Clay avenue, Thursday morning after a brief illness. Interment was made Thursday afternoon in Jacksonville cemetery.

Fortune.

Literberry friends received word Thursday night of the death of Mrs. H. C. Fortune, wife of Dr. Fortune, formerly a practicing physician in Literberry, and for the past year or more a resident of Rochester, Ill.

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soil if unfortunate incidents such as that at Parral are to be avoided.

The only reply to General Obregon's arguments that General Obregon has been authorized to make, so far as known, was that the troops would be withdrawn as soon as the de facto government had demonstrated its ability to protect the border from raids. Just what physical facts would be required to constitute that determination is not known, altho it is assumed that simple assurances of Mexican officials that they were able to handle the situation was not regarded as sufficient.

Order Officers Back to Regiments

The war department regardless of the diplomatic moves or the progress of the El Paso conference has been taking every possible precaution to see that it was not caught napping by anything that might happen beyond the border. The latest move was that made yesterday when a hundred line officers on detached service were ordered back to their regiments for active duty. The classes at the army war college and other service schools were graduated nearly two months ahead of schedule to set these officers free to aid in training recruits and national guardsmen now in the field. There now remain only 250 line officers detached from their commands.

These are stationed at West Point or assigned as instructors with national guard regiments or at various military schools or colleges. They will be called to the colors only in a pressing emergency as their work is vital to the building of anything resembling a system of military defense. No immediate further actions to the border forces are contemplated, Secretary Baker said today.

The situation in that particular may change at any moment however, it was indicated, if raiding is continued. There is no question that the department has outlined a definite schedule of the militia forces to be called to the colors only in a pressing emergency as their work

is vital to the building of anything resembling a system of military defense. No immediate further actions to the border forces are contemplated, Secretary Baker said today.

Another step taken as a precautionary measure has been the action of the state department in calling the attention of consuls in Mexico to the standing instructions that they advise all Americans to leave that country. The last estimates made by the consuls showed about 3,000 Americans beyond the border. Probably there are many more who are not registered at the consulates.

Now is the time to have Ladies Furs repaired, and stored. **FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.**

MOTHER'S DAY AT MURRAYVILLE

A special observance has been prepared for next Sunday, Mother's day, at the Murrayville M. E. church. The Rev. C. S. McCollom, the pastor, will preach the sermon. Each member of the Sunday school and of the various church societies is given especial request to be present and to make this the easier for all, members of the church with rigs and autos have been asked to lend their assistance Sunday morning.

GAMBLERS AT ROODHOUSE.

Roodhouse, Ill., May 10.—An interesting trial in which four men were convicted of gaming took place Thursday afternoon in the court of Justice G. H. Kickok. W. H. Ballard, Jess L. Davis, Herman Welch and George Blair, the men arraigned, were each fined \$25 and costs. Adrain C. Edwards of Carrolton appeared for the city and W. J. Greer of White Hall for the defense.

STOPPED AMMONIA LEAK.

H. K. Snyder said last night that an employee of the Snyder Ice plant should be given the credit for stopping the ammonia leak in the cold storage department of the J. W. Merrigan establishment. The man in question, who has had considerable experience around the ice plant, had little difficulty in stopping the ammonia leak.

REBEKAHS WILL INITIATE.

Plans have been completed for a meeting of more than ordinary interest this evening at the regular meeting of Jacksonvile Rebekah Lodge No. 12 at Odd Fellows temple. A large class will be initiated and after the work there will be a luncheon and social hour. Several guests from out of the city will be present.

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TO OPPOSE ATTEMPT TO INCREASE NUMBER OF METHODIST BISHOPS

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 11.—An attempt to increase the number of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be opposed on the floor of the general conference when the Episcopacy committee reports on Saturday, according to some of the delegates who tonight declared that the committee will recommend the election of either six or eight new members to the Episcopacy. Of these, four will fill vacancies caused by retirement under the age limit or by resignations.

Opposition to an increase in the number of bishops is based on the ground of expense. Reports submitted to the conference reveal that during the last four years \$737,545 was paid to bishops and their widows. This was \$68,425 in excess of the receipts for this purpose, but a deficit was prevented by the surplus in the treasury at the beginning of the period.

H. P. Samuel was a visitor yesterday in Havana.

ENGLAND ACCEPTS AMBASSADOR PAGE'S PLAN FOR FEEDING POLAND

LONDON, May 11.—The British government has just announced its acceptance of the plan submitted by Walter Hines Page, the American ambassador last February for feeding the civilian population of Poland by an American commission.

The acceptance carries, however, certain rather difficult stipulations for the central powers, namely, that the relief must be applied to that portion of Poland in Austrian occupation and not confined as Germany desires to that part occupied by Germany.

It is stipulated that the food is to be shipped from the United States in German ships under a neutral flag and that Germany and Austria agree as part of the scheme to care properly for the populations of Serbia, Albania and Montenegro. The foreign office expressed the hope that the central powers will promptly accept the conditions, so as to hasten the beginning of the work.

Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the American commission for relief in Belgium, will go to Brussels tomorrow and may be able to facilitate the negotiations.

Menze's work ksh9es at Hopper's.

PASSENGER ASSOCIATION MEETS' IN SPRINGFIELD AND ELECTS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 11.—Officers were elected here today by the Tri-State Passenger association, including Indiana, Illinois and Missouri as follows:

President—R. C. Gentry of St. Louis, Frisco Lines; vice president: W. H. Webber of Chicago, Great Northern railroad company; secretary, H. A. Crow of Chicago, Chicago & Alton railway company.

A round of golf, a banquet and an address tonight by E. Everett Jennings, counsel for the Illinois State Public Utilities commission on "Railroads and Public Utilities," completed the day.

THOMPSON ADDRESSES ILLINOIS STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 11—Joseph J. Thompson of the legal department of the state legislative bureau, speaking today before the opening session of the Illinois State Historical society on "Oddities in early Illinois law" said at one time petty larceny was punishable by a special law.

One convicted of stealing any sum under \$1.50 might be publicly whipped upon his bare back not to exceed fifteen lashes or fined \$3," said Mr. Thompson.

A reception was held tonight at the executive mansion for officers and members of the society.

Officers will be elected tomorrow morning.

W. A. GARDEN DIES.

Chicago, May 12.—Word was received her earl yesterday (Friday) that W. A. Gardner, president of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad company, died late last night at Waukegan, Mass.

CHARLESTON DEFEATS ILLINOIS

Charleston, Ill., May 11—Eastern Illinois State Normal outfit here today, winning by a score of 16 to 6. Three home runs of which High of Charleston hit two, featured the game.

W. H. M. S. CONVENTION WILL BE IN JACKSONVILLE NEXT YEAR

Successful Sessions Close Thursday Evening in M. E. Church at Murrayville—The Officers.

SOCIAL EVENTS

At Washington School.
Report on the recent convention of the Illinois Congress of Mothers and state parent-teacher associations was given by Mrs. W. D. Roberts Thursday at the last regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of the fourth ward, held at 3:30 o'clock at Washington school. Mrs. Roberts, the president, announced the following committees: Program, Mrs. Olive Parker, chairman; Mrs. G. R. Bradley and Mrs. Henry Kamm; refreshment, Mrs. W. C. Bradish, chairman; Mrs. Roland, Mrs. Harry, Mrs. C. W. Cornick, Mrs. Lloyd Hamilton, Mrs. Wallace Brockman, Mrs. O. N. Barr, Mrs. Clarence York, Mrs. F. B. Madden, Mrs. J. W. Chipchase and Mrs. Frank T. Irving. A framed copy of Hoffmann's "Christ" was presented the school by Mrs. A. L. Adams.

President—Mrs. J. L. Long, Beardstown.

First vice president—Mrs. G. A. Lohman, Meredosia.

Second vice president—Miss Lucy Carter, Waverly.

Recording secretary—Miss Edna Osborne, Murrayville.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Hazel Knight Humphrey, Beardstown.

Treasurer—Mrs. G. B. Metcalf, Greenfield.

Young People's secretary—Miss May Lambert, Jacksonville.

Secretary of Children's work—Mrs. E. K. Towle, Jacksonville.

Mite box secretary—Miss Nellie Robertson, Virginia.

Superintendent of literature—Mrs. Charles Hopper, Jacksonville.

Superintendent of temperance work—Mrs. S. M. Wilhite, Greenfield.

Secretary of evangelism—Mrs. Ed Stock, Greenfield.

Secretary of Christian stewardship—Mrs. J. L. Schaeffer, Beardstown.

By reason of the fact that the visiting officers present had to go on to Barry for a meeting today the events scheduled for this morning were given Thursday and the entire program thus condensed into the one day.

Mrs. Charles Hopper had the honor of reporting the largest amount of money and the most subscriptions received by any district society in the Illinois conference. A special quarter number, "There's a Shepherd King," was given by Misses Beulah Ketner, Edna Osborne, Stella and Cecil Cunningham. Mrs. Fowler of the Cunningham home at Champaign was present and spoke of the needs of the institution.

The address of the evening Thursday was given by Miss Carrie Barge, the national field secretary.

K. AND S. MASON'S

Jacksonville Council No. 5, K. & S. M. will hold a special assembly Friday evening at 7:30 for work, Refreshments.

C. C. Cochran, T. L. M. John R. Phillips, Rec.

LAFAYETTE SCHOOL WINS.

Tho the full official reports have not yet been completed for the meet Wednesday afternoon, the athletes of Lafayette school were declared winners of the cup Thursday morning by Coach W. H. P. Huber and Warren Maddox, the assistant coach, on further inquiry into the figures of the day.

For the excellent records made and thoro work done by the young contestants much credit is due to the coaching of the teachers in charge. Miss Josephine Yeck and Miss Helen Harney are athletics managers at the first ward school, and Miss Ida Mills and Miss Amy Pires at the second ward. Miss Bertha Mason and Miss Jennie Grassly of David Prince school did much in the work of training, the former at the Jefferson building and Miss Grassly at the Lafayette school. At the third ward schools the contestants were trained by Miss Florence Fox, teacher at the Franklin school, assisted by Clarence Siegfried, a student. John K. Fury and John Martin, high school seniors had in charge the training at Washington school.

ENTERTAINED WILLING WORKERS.

Mrs. J. A. Walters of 1208 Park Place entertained the Willing Workers at an all day meeting Thursday. A noon an elaborate dinner was served by the hostess. On roll call the members responded to the sentiment, "Favorite Flowers." Miss Ella Nourse, a returned missionary from Africa, was present and gave an interesting talk. The next meeting will be held June 8, with Miss Sallie Scott.

THIRD WARD ASSOCIATION.

The Parent-Teacher association of the third ward held a profitable meeting Thursday afternoon at Morton school. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. A. C. Baldwin.

Vice President—Miss Florence Fox.

Secretary—Mrs. Otto Kuchman.

Vocal solo by Miss Nellie Self.

After a march and folk dance by children of the first grade and a piano duet by Virginia Whitlock and Gladys Howard the program was continued with:

"Proper Books for Children."

Mrs. Charles Sheppard.

"Wholesome Foods for the Child."

—Mrs. Richard Moody.

"Johnny and the Microbes"—Miss Lillian Carter.

"Giving the Child a Square Deal"

—Mrs. Thomas Buckthorne.

Discussion—Led by Mrs. John Staff, Mrs. George Spires and Mrs. William Spencer.

ENTERTAIN SENIORS.

Members of the senior and junior classes at Franklin high school were entertained Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice B. Keplinger. Gaines and contests furnished diversion and the evening hours were spent in a very pleasant manner.

HOME COMING RALLY.

The Young People's society of Christian Endeavor has issued invitations for a home coming rally for all who were members of the society in the church on East State street, to be held at Central Christian church Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

TEACHERS AT DINNER.

Teachers of Jefferson school enjoyed dinner at the Peacock Inn Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Teachers of the rooms downstairs were the guests.

PHI ALPHA SOCIETY.

At the regular meeting of Phi Alpha Literary society Thursday night at Beecher hall, plans for the coming Triennial celebration were discussed and a talk on the Triennial was made by Walter H. Heath, the vice president, who occupied the chair in the absence of the president, Thomas Mangner. Francis Taylor read "When a Man Must Write an Essay," and Robert Nesmith gave as an oration, "A Protest Against Atheism." Ralph Newell, the reader, gave "The Initiation of Ole" by George Fitch and Bryan Ennis, extempore speaker, discussed "The Bonus System."

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AT LEAP YEAR DANCE.

A party of Jacksonville young people went to New Berlin by automobile Wednesday night and attended a leap year dance given there, and tho an excellent time was enjoyed, the return trip was delayed by several small accidents. The party included Charles Gruber, James Sloan, Elden Gruber, William Shields, and Misses Frances Gorman, Mary Swain, Barbara Geber and Mayme Gorman.

John W. Marshall, agent at the Wabash; D. C. Diltz, C. & A. agent and H. D. Capps, operator at the Alton, went to Springfield Thursday and attended the annual banquet of traveling passenger and ticket agents Thursday evening at the Hotel St. Nicholas. Two hundred agents were to be present.

G. A. R. ATTENTION.

Regular meeting of Matt Starr post this evening at 7:30.

John Minter, Com.

C. E. McDougall, Adj.

Ralph Shaw of Nebo was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

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MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETS.

Dr. F. A. Norris read an exhaustive and well prepared paper on "Embolus and Thrombus as Complications of Surgical Operations." Thursday night at the regular meeting of the Morgan County Medical society. Discussion was led by Dr. J. W. Hairgrove. Dr. Carl E. Black presented the report of the library committee.

QUESTIONS ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

By Rev. T. S. Linnett, D. D.

May 14, 1916.

"Lo, we turn to the gentiles. Acts 13:13-52.

Golden Text: I have set thee for a light of the Gentiles, that thou shouldest be for salvation unto the uttermost part of the east.—Acts 13:47.

1. Verse 13. At what point had Paul and Barnabas touched, according to the last lesson?

2. Where are Paphos, Perga and Antioch in Pisidia?

3. Verse 14. Why should a Christian always attend church on Sunday, whether at home or away from home, except prevented by circumstances over which he has no control?

4. If a man does not act like a Christian when away from home, is he a real Christian when at home?

5. Verse 15. Why is it that so many of our present day church services are so stiff and formal, compared to the services in this synagogue?

6. Why should not our church services be sufficiently elastic so that other members of the congregation, besides the pastor, may take part in them?

7. Verse 16. Would you say, and why, that there were many devout Jews, and others, in those days, who feared God, and were accepted of him, who had not embraced Christianity?

8. Would you say, or not, and why, that preachers and teachers in addressing non-Christian audiences, should assume that there may be some present who fear God, notwithstanding that they may have never heard about Jesus?

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MANY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ATTEND GRAND COUNCIL

"The Ideal Catholic Knight" Subject of Rev. John P. Quinn of Ottawa at LaSalle Convention—Delegates Lonergan and Sweeney Return.

P. H. Lonergan and D. Scott Sweeney, delegates from Jacksonville Council No. 868 to the grand Knights of Columbus council this week at LaSalle were expected to return last night.

The Daily Post of LaSalle has the following to say of the first day's program:

"Hundreds of Knights of Columbus are in LaSalle today for the annual meeting of the Illinois State Council of that order and the weather seems to have deemed these gentlemen and their fair partners worthy of the best possible in the way of fair weather and gave them a day of sunshine tempered with just enough breeze to make the temperature ideal.

"Three special trains came in on the Rock Island this morning, bearing delegates and their friends, these were met by huge numbers of local delegates and others in town who marched from the Harrison House to meet them. The Twin City Band was on the job and led an inspiring march from the station up to St. Patrick's church.

"The church was most handsomely decorated with flowers in honor of the coming of the Rt. Rev. Bishop Dunne and the Knights of Columbus of Illinois and St. Patrick's was soon packed from the altars to the doors.

Bishop Dunne celebrated the solemn pontifical high mass, the Rev. Fr. L. Bobkiewicz of St. Hyacinth's church, La Salle as his assistant; Fr. P. O'Cullerton of St. Mary's parish, Peru as deacon and Fr. D. D. Lane of St. Patrick's, La Salle, sub-deacon; the deacons of honor were Fathers Quirk of Ottawa and Maurice of St. Bede college, west of Peru. Father Gildea of Princeton was master of ceremonies. Bishop Muldoon of the Rockford diocese, chaplain of the K. C. order in Illinois, was also present to honor the ceremonies.

"During the mass, Rev. John P. Quinn of Ottawa delivered splendid address, taking for his subject "The Ideal Catholic Knight." His remarks were of the kind to inspire the most lofty ideals in the breast of every K. C. member present and the address was a fitting opening to an event so important as this convention is to the members of the K. C. order.

"Leaving the church, the delegates went into St. Patrick's hall across the road, where Mayor J. M. Orr, in his usual brief and sincere manner, welcomed the knights to La Salle and gave them carte blanche to use the city as their needs direct for the two days of the meeting.

"James E. McGrail, grand knight of Calvert Council No. 792 of La Salle, host to the visitors, welcomed his fellow knights in behalf of the local council.

"This afternoon Bishop Muldoon, in his capacity of chaplain of the order, gave the Knights a hearty heart talk in the hall.

"About sixty-five autos were used this afternoon to take the visiting knights and their ladies to view the beauties of Deer Park and Starved Rock and this trip was greatly enjoyed by all."

EXCURSION, NAPLES TO BEARDSTOWN AND RETURN, 25c.

Sunday, May 14th, the Steamer Mary B. Bles will run an excursion from Naples to Beardstown and return for 25 cents round trip. Leave Naples on arrival of train, 11:10 a.m.; Meredosia, 11:45 a.m.; arrive at Beardstown, 2 p.m.; leave Beardstown 4 p.m., connection with return trains.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH BROTHERHOOD.

The monthly meeting of the Congregational church brotherhood will be held this evening in the parlors of the church. Supper at 6:30 to all members of the brotherhood are invited.

At 7:30, adjourn to the lecture room at which time J. P. Lippincott will talk on the question of the public will talk on the question of the public generally is invited. Mr. Lippincott is an acknowledged authority on this subject and what he has to say will be of deep interest at this time.

Mrs. Wells on Chambers street has gone to Peoria to visit her son

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

F. M. Brewer is a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk.

FOR CONGRESS.

I am a candidate for nomination for member of congress on the Democratic ticket and will appreciate the support of voters at the coming primary election.

Henry T. Rainey.

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY

I hereby announce myself a candidate for state's attorney of Morgan county subject to the decision of the Republican primary September 13, 1916.

Carl E. Robinson.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination of State's Attorney subject to the will of the voters at the primary election.

Fred L. Gregory.

MRS. JANE SWAIN DEAD AT COUNTRY HOME

RESIDENT IN THIS COUNTY FOR EIGHTY TWO YEARS

Deceased was born in England in 1829—Lived a Useful Life and Reared an Honored Family.

After a lingering illness the venerable Mrs. Jane Swain died at 10:30 Thursday morning at her home near Sinclair. Death was due to long suffering from rheumatism and the infirmities of old age.

Mrs. Swain was born in Brossa, Yorkshire, England, Jan. 4th, 1829, and was the daughter of Francis and Jane Hunter. The family moved to this country in 1834, first coming to Jacksonville and later going to the place now occupied by Frank Hunter about two miles south of Sinclair and eight miles northeast of Jacksonville. The young daughter had the advantage of the schools of her day and grew to a beautiful and useful womanhood. For seven months she worked for the noted Jacob Straw for a dollar a week, which was the top wages paid at that time. She was also useful at home and on her father's farm and when he came to breaking the virgin prairie with three yoke of oxen she drove the cattle and rode on the plow beam to keep the plow in the ground.

The family apparel in those days was modest but useful and well made. Sometimes the good housewife carded the wool bat carding machines were introduced at an early day. They were at first crude affairs furnished with power by oxen in a wheel or treadmill. If a woman had the wool carded for her she was supposed to do the rest and many a day she walked back and forth spinning the yarn that was to go into the fabrics worn by the family.

Married Early

People married young in the early days and Jane Hunter was no exception for when seventeen years old, Dec. 18, 1846, she was married to John Swain, a Godly man who lived his religion every day. This family were brought up in the fear of God, taught to attend church and Sunday school and remember their Creator in the days of their youth.

She was always a helpmeet and used to go out into the field and drop corn, leaving her little flock in the house while she did it. Corn planters were then unknown. A wise, forehand man had a marker which consisted of three runners attached to a frame and that he drew across the field with a team after the plow and harrow had been used.

Thus three rows were marked off at once and sometimes the marker was used the other way or else a single shovel plow and then the rule was to follow the dim mark and cross the plain one and so get the rows straight. Husking bees, spelling schools and an occasional singing school were the principal sources of recreation.

When but twelve years of age she united with the Methodist church and ever lived a consistent Christian life. She and her husband, as long as he lived, were pillars in Hebron church and Sunday school and she taught in the Sunday school for forty years. Hebron is one of the historic spots in Illinois Methodism. For many years it was the scene of grand camp meetings when people came from far and near to spend days in worshipping their Maker. Such giants as Peter Cartwright, Peter Akers, W. D. R. Trotter, W. J. Rutledge, Hiram Buck, Daniel Short, his honored son, W. F. Short, and many others ministered there and great were the results known only in full on high. The cemetery adjoining is the last resting place of many veterans in the church and the civil war and is truly a sacred spot.

The place was known as the Robinson camp ground and was known far and wide and it was used for many years. Permanent accommodations were erected and used by the devout and the meetings held there were wonderfully blessed and anticipated for months beforehand. John Sinclair was another of the historic names of ministers who served there.

Mr. Swain died forty years ago, leaving his family the priceless heritage of a good name and a comfortable possession as well and since that time the mother has been most tenderly cared for and has received all attention and loving devotion from her dutiful son Arthur and daughters Misses Sarah and Emma. Her other sons have also always been ready to minister to her every want so far as needed and in their power lay. She gave up her Sunday class with reluctance but as long as physical strength would permit she was faithful in her attendance at church and Sunday school and when not there in body she was present in spirit and her prayer ever went up to the throne of grace for the organization she loved so well. For almost seventy years she has lived in one place and had come to know a host of friends and relatives and their welfare, temporal and spiritual, was ever dear to her heart and the object of her tender solicitude.

She is survived by four sons and two daughters. The former are George R., J. C., and Amos, married and living in the vicinity of Sinclair and Arthur, at home; two daughters, Misses Sarah J. and Emma. Also six grandchildren, Clara Pearl, John D., Harold, Horace, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swain; Harry and Anna, children of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swain. One brother, the well known Robert Hunter, and one sister, Mrs. Alice Mahon, died some years ago.

Anything like a eulogy on the life of such a person as Mrs. Swain seems superfluous for she was so well known by all in the vicinity of the place in which she lived and her reputation is her best encomium. She was a dutiful and loving wife and mother, devoted day and night to her loved ones and ready to sacrifice



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The funeral will be conducted at 10:30 Saturday morning by Rev. G. W. Flagg, assisted by Rev. C. H. Davis, pastor of Hebron church. Burial will be in Hebron cemetery.

IRELAND AND DEMOCRACY.

The full seriousness of the revolt in Ireland is not yet clear, and it is early to draw lessons. But early or late the lessons drawn should not be the obviously wrong ones. The New York Tribune is ironically disturbed and presents the view that because here in the United States we have been timid in dealing with manifestations of sedition, we are on the brink of a volcano and may suffer as the English are now suffering because of their alleged timidity in Ireland. The Tribune works itself up to this statement:

Democracy has broken down in all democratic countries because the men it has set in office have failed, have neither dared nor troubled not cared, because little men of no faith and of no vision have thought that it was sufficient to suppress what was unpleasant, ignore what was uncomfortable and flee from what was dangerous. On the edge of a volcano they have talked.

This is rhetorical exaggeration from the desk at which Horace Greeley, who had a surer faith in democracy, once sat.

One of the striking facts in the world today and the most bitter one which the war has disclosed to Germany, is that democratic government has not failed. When the war began it was the German expectation, as abundantly shown, that Ireland would at once be in a blaze of revolution and that the South African colonies, where the Boer war had been fought less than 15 years before, would also rise against the British empire. German astonishment at what has taken place in South Africa has been frankly expressed. It would seem as if no one in these days could be so blind as not to see

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not broken down in Canada or in Australasia, and, least of all, in France. For there, under the third republic, is being made a record so glorious that, when history is written, it will well-nigh efface the humiliations suffered under the empire in 1870. It is because Great Britain has not subjected Canada, Australasia or South Africa to Prussian severity that they stand fast today.

There is faith to believe that in the unhappy event of war with Germany, the best guardians against whatever element in our German population might seek to cause domestic trouble, would be the great body of our citizens of German blood who, though they may wholly sympathize with Germany while she struggles against European foes, would under such circumstances prove their full loyalty to the United States. The basis of that faith is the freedom of speech and thought, sought by them or their fathers who crossed with Carl Schurz after 1848, and given them by a democracy to the upbuilding of which they have so notably contributed.

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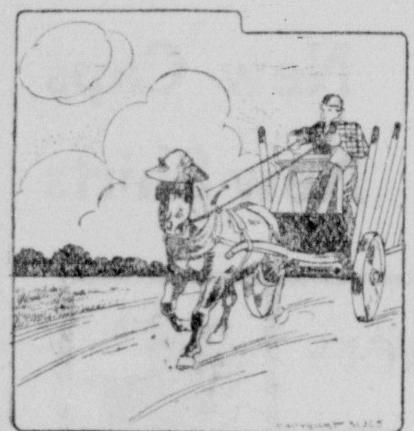
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**FIRM UNDERTONE PREVAILS FOR
MOST PART OF STOCK SESSION**

Developments Affecting Market Conditions Are Mainly of a Negative Character.

New York, May 11.—Developments affecting market conditions were mainly of a negative character. A firm undertone prevailed for most of the session with occasional lapses into dullness and hesitation. Lack of investment demand and the increasing confusion arising from affairs in Mexico contributed to the restraint manifested by certain issues.

Altogether a fairly large number of stocks were quoted, the inquiry, as usual, centered around a half dozen of the better known specialties, such as mercantile marines, with another substantial gain for the preferred, Mexican Petroleum, United States Steel, Crucible Steel and several of the active equipments.

Total shares of stock amounted to 650,000 shares.

Total sales of bonds per value, \$1,450,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Last Call.

Allis-Chalmers	27%
Amer. Beet Sugar	72%
Amer. Can	56
Amer. Car and Foundry	50
Amer. Locomotive	69%
Amer. Smelting and Refining	96%
Amer. Tel. and Tel.	128%
Anacoda Copper	84%
Baldwin Locomotive	86%
Baltimore and O	87%
Bethlehem Steel	44%
Brooklyn Rap. Transit	85
Butte and Superior	91%
California Petroleum	23%
Central Leather	53
Chesapeake and O	62
Chicago, Mill. and St. P.	95
Chicago, R. I. and P. Ry	20%
Chino Copper	53%
Colorado Fuel and Iron	42
Corn Products	19%
Crucible Steel	79%
Denver and Rio Grande pfd	22
Erie	36%
General Electric	165
Goodrich Co	76%
Great Northern Ore Cts	40%
Great Northern pfd	118%
Illinois Central	191%
Interborough Consol. Corp	16%
Inter. Harvester, N. J.	111
Inter. Merc. Mar. cts	51%
Lackawanna Steel	68%
Lehigh Valley	78%
Louisville and N	127
Maxwell Motor Co	82%
Mexican Petroleum	197
Miami Copper	36%
Missouri, K. and T. pfd	10%
Missouri Pacific	6%
National Lead	65
New York Central	193%
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	59
Norfolk and W	124
Northern Pacific	112%
Pennsylvania	66
Ray Consolidated Copper	22%
Reading	88%
Republic Iron and Steel	42%
Southern Pacific	57%
Southern Railway	21%
Studebaker Co	131
Texas Co	191%
Tennessee Copper	49%
Union Pacific	135%
United States Rubber	54%
United States Steel	83%
United States Steel pfd	116%
Utah Copper	79%
Wabash Pfd. B.	27%
Western Union	91%
Westinghouse Electric	59%
Kennecott Copper	56%

NEW YORK BOND LIST.

(General)

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	99%
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	99%
U. S. 3s, registered	101%
U. S. 3s, coupon	101%
U. S. 4s, registered	110%
U. S. 4s, coupon	111%

HOME MARKETS.

Spring Chickens	15
Chickens, old	12
Butter	30
Eggs	17
Lard	12 1-2
Bacon	12 1-2
Turnips	40
Potatoes	1.00
Rhubarb, dozen bunches	40c
New onion, per dozen bunches	40c
Apples	63
Commission Men Pay:	
Poultry Prices.	
Hens, light	10c
Hens, heavy	13c
Roosters	5@6
Stags	10
Ducks	10c
Old Geese	8c
Turkey hens	14-15
Turkey toms	10-11
Guineas	20c
Fresh eggs, candied	17c
Beef Hides	15c
Packing Stock Butter	17c
The Jacksonville Creamery Co. is now paying 30 cents for butter fat.	

Hay and Grain.

Timothy hay, per bale	6c
Timothy hay, per ton	\$14.00
Clover hay, per bale	.50c
Clover hay, per ton	\$14.00
Alfalfa hay, per bale	.55c
Alfalfa hay, per ton	\$18.00
Oats straw	.35c
Oats, per bushel	.55c
Bran, per cwt	\$1.15
Cracked corn, old, per cwt.	\$1.65
Coarse corn meal	\$1.65
Corn	75c

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.	
Kansas City, May 11.—Wheat lower. Corn and oats sagged with wheat but closed strong.	
Cash wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.29%; No. 1 northern, \$1.23%@1.26%; to arrive, \$1.22%@1.24%; No. 2 northern, \$1.19%@1.24%; No. 3 wheat, \$1.13%@1.20%.	

**ACTIVE SHIPPING DEMAND
LIFTS THE HOG MARKET**

Cattle Receipts Are Less Numerous Than the Trade Had Looked for—Sheep and Lambs Meet With Ready Demand.

Chicago, May 11.—Active shipping demand today lifted the hog market. Cattle receipts were less numerous than the trade had looked for. Sheep and lambs met with ready sale.

Chicago Livestock Market.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000. Market strong to 10c higher. Bulk, \$7.29 @ 9.90; light, \$9.40 @ 9.95; mixed, \$9.45 @ 9.95; heavy, \$9.40 @ 10.00; rough, \$9.40 @ 9.95; pigs, \$7.25 @ 9.20.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,000. Market firm. Native beef steers, \$7.00 @ 10.00; western steers, \$8.00 @ 9.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @ 8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.35 @ 9.50; calves, \$7.00 @ 10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 13,000. Market firm. Wethers, \$7.20 @ 9.60; ewes, \$5.35 @ 9.35; lambs, \$8.25 @ 12.15.

St. Louis Livestock Market.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,600. Market steady. Pigs and lights, \$7.50 @ 9.90; mixed and butchers, \$7.90 @ 10.00; good heavy, \$9.90 @ 10.00.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady. Native beef steers, \$7.50 @ 9.85; yearling steers and heifers, \$5.50 @ 9.75; cows, \$5.25 @ 8.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @ 8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,900. Market 15 to 25 higher. Wethers, \$7.00 @ 8.50; lambs, \$10.00 @ 12.00; clipped ewes, \$7.50 @ 8.50; spring lambs, \$10.00 @ 14.00.

Kansas City Livestock Market.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000. Market strong. Bulk, \$9.65 @ 9.85; heavy, \$9.80 @ 9.90; light, \$9.55 @ 9.85; pigs, \$8.50 @ 9.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 2,000. Market strong. Steers, \$8.00 @ 9.65; cows, \$5.50 @ 8.25; heifers, \$7.25 @ 9.75; calves, \$6.00 @ 10.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000. Market strong. Lambs, \$9.50 @ 12.00; yearlings, \$8.50 @ 11.00; wethers, \$7.50 @ 9.50.

Omaha Livestock Market.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,500. Market steady. Heavy, \$9.55 @ 9.75; light, \$9.40 @ 9.65; pigs, \$8.00 @ 9.00; bulk, \$9.50 @ 9.65.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,600. Market steady. Steers, \$8.00 @ 9.50; cows and heifers, \$6.75 @ 8.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,800. Market strong. Yearlings, \$6.75 @ 10.75; wethers, \$8.25 @ 9.50; lambs, \$10.75 @ 11.10.

**WHEAT UNDERGOES SETBACK
BECAUSE OF EXPECTED SHOWERS**

Close Is Unsettled at % to % of a Cent Net Decline—Indications of a Record Breaking Increase of Acreage Sends Corn Down.

Chicago, May 11.—Wheat underwent a setback in price today on account of expected showers and because of widespread lower temperatures—a combination of vital importance for the growing crop. The close was unsettled at % to % of a net decline, with both July and September at \$1.16%. Corn finished a sixteenth to % off to % advance. In provisions the outcome ranged from 20c loss to a rise of 24c.

Weakness showed itself in the wheat market right at the outset, and was at no time completely overcome, altho near the end of the session reports of clearing skies in Kansas led to misgivings on the part of sellers and brought about something of a rally. Little attention was given to anything except weather and crop advices, and to late assertions that English buyers had taken a small amount of wheat from the United States not confining purchases altogether to shipments from Manitoba.

Support for wheat seemed only to possess much breadth when declines of 1c or more were recorded. All the larger commission houses had resting orders to buy at such a limit, but selling pressure broadened out to a material degree on the subsequent upturns.

Indications of a record-breaking increase of acreage made the corn market decline. Prices recovered fairly well, however, when rallies took place in wheat. Oats proved rather firm. The reason lay in the uneasiness prevailing as to damage by green bugs in the southwest.

Provisions were under heavy selling pressure by discouraged holders. Higher prices on hogs failed to be of any assistance in checking the downturns.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.

New York, May 11.—Wheat spot easy; No. 1 Durum, \$1.31; No. 2 hard, \$1.27; No. 1 northern, \$1.35%; No. 1 northern Manitoba, \$1.35%; No. 1 f. o. b. New York. Futures nearly steady; May, \$1.23%.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 yellow, 88c c. l. f. New York. Oats—Spot steady; standard, 52c; No. 2 white, 50c @ 51s.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, May 11.—Merchants paper, 3%.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.

Kansas City, May 11.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard, \$109 @ 1.17; No. 2 red, \$1.09 @ 1.15.

Corn No. 2 mixed, 69c @ 70c;

No. 2 white, 70c; No. 2 yellow, 71 @ 72c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 46c @ 47c;

No. 3 white, 47c @ 48c.

Hay—Steady, unchanged.

Regarding the Proposed Bond Issue

A two-mill tax will raise the annual payments on the bonds, which would mean a tax not to exceed \$2.00 per annum on a \$3,000.00 assessment, or \$1.00 on a \$1,500.00 assessment, house or property. It will be the means of giving us absolutely pure water and better lighted streets than we have now. On a \$5,000.00 assessed valuation, the tax would be less than one cent per day. For example—\$3,000.00 on full assessed valuation, one-third of which, \$1,000.00, is the assessed valuation upon which the taxes are extended. A two-mill tax thereon would produce \$2.00 taxes, about a half a cent a day.

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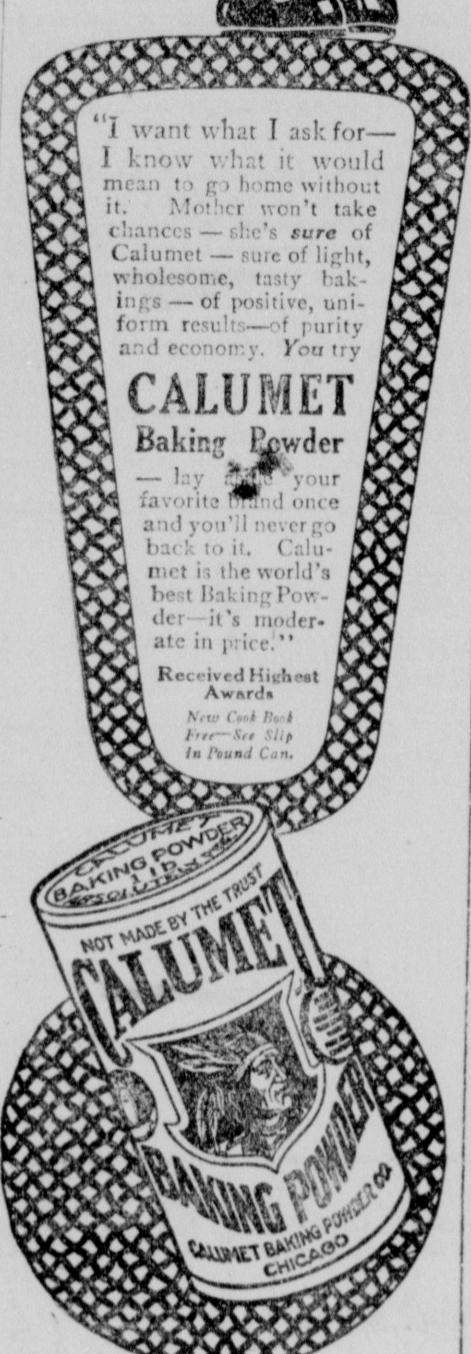
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**NEW YORK'S SECOND BECKER
CASE NOW NEAR END**

Gunman Who Killed for \$100 and
Chauffer Soon to Die.

New York, May 11—Nearly two years and a half have elapsed since the famous Baff murder was committed. During that time the police have been running down the assassins and have uncovered a second Becker murder case. Two of the accused men, Giuseppe Aaichello, who committed the actual shooting of Barnett Baff for a hundred dollars, and Frank Ferrara, who drove the murder squad to the scene of the crime, are under sentence to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing in the week beginning May 29. Two other members of the Baff murder expedition of ten will soon be tried. They are Joseph Zafarone, a "look-out" man, and his brother, Antonio Zafarone.

There is a strong parallel between the Baff case and that in which Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, was shot. By Becker's order, the hired assassins shot Rosenthal to death. Barnett Baff, a poultryman in Washington market was marked for death because he had informed on the "chicken-sanding trust," thirteen members of which were convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary. Armed gangs of gunmen carried out the orders of those "higher up" in both cases. While Lieut. Becker shared the fate of the men he hired to kill Rosenthal, the man or men who ordered Baff's death have not yet been implicated. From somewhere the order came that Baff must be done away with.

Barnett Baff came from Germany a long time ago, and he and his wife opened a little grocery on the East side. They saved their money and opened a second store. Bad business took their savings and they lost all. Then Baff opened a butcher shop, and thrived specializing on kosher chickens. Business expanded, and the trust sought Baff for underselling it. His horses were poisoned, his live chickens died on the way from Hoboken, and when he retaliated, black hand letters threatened him and bombs were placed in his shop and under his doortop. Carcasses of poultry consigned to him were blown up in Hoboken.

Many Contributions to Fund
It has developed that many chicken dealers contributed to the fund with which the gunmen were paid. Baff himself contributed \$25, not knowing the actual intent of the plotters. Most of the contributors believed the fund was to be used to break the control which Baff held over the poultry business, but had no inkling that murder was on the programme.

The murder fund was started in May, two years ago. Ippolito Greko, a Harlem saloon-keeper was the leader of a gang of young bravos ready to get money by any means. He was employed to "get" Baff. Six trips were made by the gunmen to Washington Market in July and August, but their plans were balked on each occasion. The men who had contributed began to get restless and demanded action. Baff was still getting the better of them, beating them on prices and adding to his immense business. In November, a "particular emergency" existed in the trade. Thanksgiving time was near, and the retail dealers were determined to get rid of Baff. Greko was ordered to get busy. On November 24, 1914, Baff was shot. The gunmen stole a coffee-colored car belonging to one of Baff's friends. They motored to West Washington market. Look-outs were stationed, while one of the gang went into Baff's place and told him a business acquaintance wanted him outside. As Baff came out, shots rang out, and the poultryman dropped. The gang made its get-away successfully.

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CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT ROGERS PARK

BIG Y. M. C. A. GATHERING BEGINS TODAY IN CLEVELAND

Seventy Third Annual Session Will Begin There May 15th—Prominent Church People on Program.

The 73rd annual meeting of the Congregational Conference of Illinois together with the Illinois Woman's Home Missionary Union, will be held at Rogers Park, First Congregational church, Chicago, May 15th-17th. Of this church Rev. John R. Nichols is pastor, Rev. John Gordon, preacher and Rev. B. F. Aldrich chaplain.

The following is to be the program:

Monday Evening, May 15

7:30, Devotional Service. Welcome—The Pastor, Rev. John R. Nichols, Chicago.

Response—Assistant Moderator, Mr. E. H. Scott, Chicago.

8:00, Sermon—Rev. John Gordon, Rockford.

Offering for Ministerial Relief—Rev. A. R. Thain, Canton.

Communion—Conducted by Rev. E. F. Williams, Winnetka, and Rev. Quincy L. Dowd, Roscoe.

Tuesday Morning, May 16.

9:00, Invocation. Organization and business.

9:20, Report of trustees—Rev. E. N. Hardy, La Grange.

9:40, Report of Superintendent—Rev. G. T. McCollum, Chicago.

10:00, Report of Committee on Resolutions.

10:10, Report of Sunday School Secretary—Rev. R. W. Gammon, Chicago.

10:20, Report of Examiner of Chicago Theological Seminary—Rev. H. E. Peabody, Chicago.

10:30, Report of committee on the Circulating Library—Rev. E. N. Hardy, La Grange.

10:40, Devotional Service—Rev. B. F. Aldrich, Chicago.

11:10, Business.

12:30, Adjournment.

Tuesday Afternoon

2:00, Invocation.

Address, "The New Nationalism"—Rev. Clyde A. McGee, Chicago.

Addresses, "Re-organized Congregationalism."

2:30, "What It Is and What It Conserves"—Rev. John P. Sander, Chicago.

2:50, "What It Promises"—Secretary Charles E. Burton, New York.

3:10, Address, "The Apportionment Plan and the Missionary Appeal"—Rev. Lucious O. Baird, Chicago.

Addresses: "Home Missions in Illinois."

3:30, "A Voice from the South"—Rev. Geo. H. Williams, Albion.

3:40, "Organizing for Work"—Rev. W. E. Murray, Belvidere.

3:50, "Meeting the Need"—Rev. Thos. Armstrong, Westville.

4:00, "A Sample"—Rev. Walter Spooner, Ottawa.

4:30, Address, "The Congregational Training School for Women"—Miss Agnes M. Taylor, Chicago.

5:00, Address, "The Annuity Fund"—Secretary Wm. A. Rice, New York.

5:20, Business.

5:30, Adjournment.

Tuesday Evening

7:30, Devotional Service.

8:00, Address, "Christianity at the Cross Roads"—Rev. Martin D. Hardin, Chicago.

Business.

Adjournment.

Wednesday Evening, May 17

9:00, Invocation.

Business and Election of Officers.

9:45, Devotional service—Rev. B. F. Aldrich, Chicago.

10:15, Elgin Memorial on the Creed of the National Council.

Report of committee on Policy on Memorial—Rev. Wm. E. Barton, Oak Park.

10:30, In support of Memorial—Rev. C. L. Morgan, Elgin.

10:45, General discussion.

11:10, Closing Discussion—Rev. Wm. E. Barton, Oak Park.

11:15, Address, "The Problem of the Country Church"—Dean Eugene Davenport, Champaign.

11:40, Address, "The Church and the Children"—Prof. Walter S. Athearn.

12:10, Address, "Religious Day School"—Rev. Thos. F. Nugent, Kennewick.

12:30, Adjournment.

Wednesday Afternoon

2:00, Invocation.

Report, "The University Church Work"—Rev. W. T. McElveen, Evanston.

2:20, Address, "The Ben Family"—Mrs. Beulah L. Tuthill.

2:30, Report of committee on License and Ordination—Rev. C. A. Osborne, Chicago.

3:00, Joint meeting with the Illinois Womans' Home Missionary Union.

4:30, Conference business.

Wednesday Evening

7:30, Devotional service.

8:00, Address, "The American Board in the World Crisis"—Secretary James L. Barton, Boston.

Conference business.

Adjournment.

Monday

4:00 p.m., Conference of officers, association presidents and secretaries of Young People's and Junior Auxiliaries.

Tuesday

8:30 a.m., Meeting of Board of Directors and Delegates.

2:00 p.m., Annual meeting. Visitors welcome.

4:00 p.m., A social gathering arranged by the ladies of the Rogers Park church.

Wednesday

9:30 a.m., Public meeting.

3:00 p.m., Joint meeting with the Congregational Conference.

PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the guardianship of Bessie Smith, petition for letters of guardianship was allowed and bond fixed at \$500, with letters to issue to Emily H. Hughton.

INVENTION ON RIVER BOAT

St. Louis, May 11—The Missouri Public Utilities Association embarked today on its third floating convention. The Steamer Quincey was pressed into service to take the delegates for a three-day trip to Peoria and back.

ARMSTRONG'S DRUG STORE

Armstrong's Drug Store or any reliable druggist, who will refund your money if it fails.

John Pine of Bluffs made a business trip to the city yesterday.

AUTOMOBILES

Dean Wilday of Bluffs came up to the city yesterday in his Overland car.

Richard Megginson, Jr., of Woodson was a city caller yesterday coming in his Ford roadster.

W. E. McCurley of the south part of the county visited the city yesterday coming in his McFarlane 6 car.

Miss Ida Deere of Franklin made a trip to the city yesterday in her Ford car.

C. N. Priest went to Winchester yesterday in his Ford car.

Frank Dinwiddie and son of Litterberry came down to the city yesterday in their Auburn car.

A. C. Grohe of St. Louis, general agent for the Pullman, came to the city yesterday in his Pullman car.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Vanner of Beardstown made the city a call yesterday, coming in their Overland car.

Robert Coates of Scott county brought his family to the city yesterday in his Michigan car.

Louis Alderson and family came up to the city yesterday from Chapin in their Halliday car.

E. O. Spine and family came down to the city yesterday from Chandlerville in their Buick car.

Mrs. Orin McCormick and daughter Alice came up to the city yesterday from Waverly in their Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Votsmeier, daughter Mildred and Mrs. John Clapp all came down to the city yesterday from Ashland in their Overland car.

Henry Musch and family of the northwest part of the county came to the city yesterday in their Reo car.

Samuel Huntsmeier of Concord rode to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Arthur Bush and family came up to the city from Winchester yesterday in their Mitchell car.

Rev. L. H. Hadaway of Chapin made an auto trip to the city yesterday.

Sam'l Farmer of Prentiss visited the city yesterday coming in his Overland car.

Howard Henry and family and Mr. Henry Smith arrived in the city yesterday from Woodson in Mr. Henry's International car.

Norman Campbell and wife came up to the city yesterday from Merritt in their McFarlane 6 car.

Mr. Barr of Quincy came over to the city yesterday in his Ford car to visit his brother, proprietor of the laundry.

Mrs. J. Savage and Miss Letta Campbell rode over to the city from Virginia in Mrs. Savage's Ford car.

Mrs. A. C. Foster, son Robin, daughter Mabel, Mrs. Nannie Foster of Blandinville came down from Strawn's Crossing yesterday in Mrs. Foster's Jeffreys car.

A merry party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Huss and Mr. and Mrs. Van Fossen and Mrs. G. H. Humphrey all rode over to the city yesterday in Mr. Huss' Buick on their way to Murrayville to attend a convention.

Howard and family and friends arrived Saturday and Sunday with their cars.

Ed Dobson and wife are the proud parents of a boy, born May 4th.

J. A. Harney and family spent Sunday in Murrayville, with Frank Lawson and family.

Misses Helen Manus and Eleanor Ealey of Jacksonville spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. L. G. Crouse and family. Miss Eleanor expects to leave soon for Hanover, Ill., to spend the summer with another sister, Mrs. Eddie Hoffman.

Miss Nellie Hagan closed her school Tuesday with a picnic. Prizes won were: best attendance—Minnie Brown; highest average Pauline Rilling. Declamation contest, 1st prize Pauline Rilling; 2nd prize, Anna Gerhardt. Miss Kathryn Hagan's school closed Friday with a picnic. Both girls are home for the summer vacation.

Miss Margaret Hagan, who is attending school in Jacksonville, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. R. E. Dobson, Mrs. Felix Gordon and Mrs. Wm. White spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Dobson.

The Red Roses and Woodson played a game of ball in Begnel's pasture Sunday afternoon, the score being 9 to 7 in favor of Woodson.

Dr. P. L. Varble was called to Dr. G. Crouse's Monday afternoon to see a sick horse.

William Gorneau and Michael White of Jacksonville are spending a few days with Conlon Brothers.

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FUNERALS

Lazebny.

Funeral services for Miss Ida May Lazebny were held from Liberty church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Cronkhite, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Haas. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. John Heathon, Mrs. Cronkhite, Henry Gordon and W. W. Gillham. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Link Hill, Miss Nettie Hill, Miss Edith Cooper and Mrs. Joshua Gill. Interment was in Liberty cemetery the bearers being J. O. Parker, Felix Moore, William Rawlings, Link Hill, Fred Watson and L. M. Shirtliff.

NOTICE

All persons who have not returned personal property schedules must have them in this office by May 15, 1916. W. A. Masters, Supervisor of Assessments.

BIG MOOSE CARNIVAL.

The Moose May festival and spring carnival will be held on the Cannon lot on North Main street the week of May 22-27. A committee from the local order of Moose visited a number of carnival companies before selecting one for exhibition here. It was the desire to get only the cleanest and best show. They finally decided on the Ed A. Evans Greater Shows consisting of fifteen feature shows and three riding devices. The Evans shows travel in a special train of fifteen palace cars. Every show and riding device being new, novel, clean and moral and up-to-date in every respect. Charles R. Colby, special contracting agent for the company, is in the city completing the final arrangements for the big event.



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FIFTY SIX STRAW BALLOTS FOR BOARD MEMBERS

Long List of Names Suggested by Those Who Voted—Honesty and Broad Minded Common Sense Greatest Requirements for Board Membership.

Last Saturday a ballot form was published in the Journal and appeared for four days, asking the people of Jacksonville to express their preferences for members of the board of education. It was suggested that these ballots could be signed or without signature, just as the citizen happened to wish.

There are 9,500 men and women in Jacksonville who are entitled to vote upon the question of board membership, and after five days of publicity just 56 answers were received. Leaving out those persons who after considering the question had any reluctance about expressing their views for fear they might be publicly identified with them, the result of the ballot shows a remarkable lack of interest in the public school affairs.

There is no question in which the people are so vitally concerned as the school system, and yet from year to year it has frequently happened that board of education members have been elected when not more than one-tenth of the people were expressing their wishes. The purpose of the straw ballot was only to arouse public interest in this important question and if possible bring to the attention of the people the names of men and women especially qualified for board membership. The selection for president and members of the board should not be based on personalities or politics or anything of that character. Fitness to serve should be the only qualification considered, and the Journal believes that with the new system of school management which is now to be inaugurated that the question of board selection is of even more importance than has been true in the past.

The requirement for efficient board membership is men and women not necessarily of liberal education but men and women who are honest, with good business judgment and who have the qualification of realizing that they do not know everything about educational problems. They should be people who have the honest desire to secure the very best educational facilities for the children of the city which can be purchased with the wise expenditure of the funds at their disposal. They should be people willing to select the man they feel is best qualified to serve as superintendent and then hold him responsible for the educational standards of the schools. The board does not need members who wish to manage all the details of school affairs or whose main purpose is to see that their relatives and friends are on the payroll. The result of the ballot, altho the number by comparison with the total number of votes is small, gives a list of names from which the voters as a whole should be able to select an excellent list of board members.

If some of the names given in the straw ballot appeal to the people more strongly than those who are known to be candidates, such persons should be prevailed upon to become candidates as a matter of public duty. The summarized result of the ballot cast is as follows:

For President.

H. H. Bancroft, 42.
J. P. Lippincott, 4.
H. J. Rodgers, 3.
J. R. Harker, 2.
Carl H. Weber, 2.
Dr. Carl E. Black, 1.
E. E. Crabtree, 1.
Dr. A. B. Morey, 1.
A. T. Capps, 1.

For Board Members.

A. T. Capps, 6.
Fletcher Hopper, 1.
E. A. Schoedsack, 1.
F. H. Bode, 5.
Thomas V. Hopper, 14.
Frank Plourer, 1.
W. J. Brady, 2.
Carl S. Hillerby, 3.
T. M. Tomlinson, 2.
Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson, 33.
Mrs. C. E. Williamson, 32.
Dr. Josephine Milligan, 37.
William Floreth, 11.
Carl H. Weber, 34.
A. C. Metcalf, 33.
Dr. W. P. Duncan, 34.
J. Marshall Miller, 35.
E. M. Vasconcellos, 38.
Ferdinand Jordan, 23.
A. L. Adams, 1.
A. R. Gregory, Sr., 1.
Harrison King, 1.
H. H. Bancroft, 2.
James W. Elliott, 1.
Paul Tammeull, 1.
M. D. Rapp, 1.
H. C. Montgomery, 3.
C. A. Johnson, 1.
Mrs. F. J. Hehn, 1.
L. O. Vaught, 3.
Mrs. Arthur Vanner, 5.
G. B. Andre, 3.
W. E. Spoons, 1.
William Newman, 1.
W. L. Shibe, 3.
Mrs. Louis Engel, 1.
J. H. Hackett, 1.
Henry Frisch, 2.
L. G. Magill, 1.
E. E. Wells, 2.
Mrs. A. L. Adams, 5.
Dr. Grace Dewey, 2.
Richard Reynolds, 1.
W. C. Howe, 1.
John A. Ayers, 2.
Myron L. Pontius, 2.
Frank Tendick, 1.
W. T. Clarkson, 1.
William Self, 1.
Mary T. Carriel, 2.
A. C. Rice, 2.
F. E. Farrell, 1.
J. W. Priest, 1.
Thomas Worthington, 1.
Mary W. Price, 1.
Dr. T. A. Wakely, 1.

J. W. Walton, 4.
Dr. L. H. Clampit, 3.
Mrs. J. H. Danskin, 2.
Mrs. E. C. Carpenter, 2.
Clarence L. DePew, 1.
Dr. J. W. Hairgrove, 1.
Harry M. Capps, 1.
Mrs. C. E. Black, 1.
Dr. Cataneat, 1.
Henry Meuhhausen, 1.
Dennis Schram, 1.
Mrs. G. T. Douglas, 1.
Mrs. Charles A. Barnes, 1.
Mrs. F. J. Waddell, 1.
John Nunes, 1.
W. A. Crawford, 1.
M. R. Fitch, 3.
C. E. Black, 3.
E. E. Crabtree, 2.
Abe Wood, 2.
H. C. Clement, 1.
Mrs. Charles Hopper, 1.
George Ingurnd, 1.
W. A. Jenkinson, 1.
J. F. Shreve, 2.
T. S. Martin, 1.
E. L. Kinney, 2.
H. C. Wolfman, 3.
W. D. Wood, 1.
J. C. Wideman, 1.
James H. Campbell, 1.
William E. Hall, 1.
James K. C. Pierson, 1.
Anthony W. Becker, 1.
Mrs. W. D. Roberts, 2.
W. W. Gillham, 2.
Alex Platt, 1.
John Butler, 2.
Mrs. W. T. Wilson, 2.
Mrs. Percy Coover, 1.
Dr. H. L. Griswold, 2.
Mrs. W. C. Bradish, 1.
C. H. Rammekamp, 2.
Mrs. Miller Weir, 1.
Mrs. Harrison King, 1.
Mrs. J. T. King, 1.
J. J. Reeve, 1.
T. S. Martin, 1.
Thomas Casey, 1.
W. C. McCullough, 1.
T. J. Pitner, 1.
Julius Gates Strawn, 1.
Frank Hehn, 1.
M. E. Gilbert, 1.

Last number 1. W. C. Artists Course. Van Katwijk, Pianist, Friday night. 50¢ admission.

AGED MURPHYSBORO COUPLE

FOUND MURDERED IN HOME

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., May 11.—George Pecoraro, prominent in the Italian section of this city, and his aged wife, were found murdered in their home today.

Both had been strangled and their necks broken. Revenge or black-mail is supposed to have been the motive. Two vicious dogs customarily chained near the front door were missing. Three hundred dollars in a trunk and \$12 in a sack secreted in the old man's bed were not molested. A number of cigars were found in the room, altho Pecoraro did not use tobacco. They are supposed to have been dropped by the murderer or murderers in making their escape.

SUBMIT PROVISIONS TO ENTER INTO SANCTION OF SALE

Chicago, May 11—Independent Telephone companies this afternoon submitted to the state public utilities commission provisions which they consider should enter into sanction of the sale of the Automatic Telephone company to the Chicago Telephone company. In effect the provisions are designed to obtain for the independents full, fair and complete entrance into Chicago for long distance calls originating with independents, and a fair routing of long distance calls originating in this city. The hearing will be resumed at Springfield next Tuesday.

TRUSTEES FILE FIRST REPORT

PINCKNEYVILLE, Ill., May 11—Trustees of the estate of Henry Horn, whose bank at Duquoin failed after his death, filed their first report with Judge Bernreuter, which shows that they have collected \$110,480 and have paid out \$63,849 as a first dividend on twenty per cent of claims allowed by the court. They still have 11,000 acres of land, a flouring mill, the sale of which, it is said, will bring the total dividends to approximately fifty per cent.

DUNNE OFFERS REWARD FOR CAPTURE OF ROSS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 11.—Governor Dunne has offered a reward of \$200 for the arrest and conviction of Carl Ross, who is alleged to have murdered Ralph McDonald at Jacksonville, May 5th, of this year.

Fast colors, Faultless fitting negligee shirts, \$1.00 up. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. A. O. Harris of Orleans vicinity, who has been an invalid in the city for some weeks has gone home much improved.

The Rev. W. W. Theobald has for several days been quite ill at his home on Bissell street.

Orville Petefish, ill with intermittent fever at his home in Literberry, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. A. O. Harris of Alexander, for several weeks ill at Our Savior's hospital, has returned to her home. Miss Fannie Morrow is improving after a serious illness at her home in Alexander.

Princess candies always please.

WILL PREACH AT STATE STREET CHURCH.

Dr. W. B. Jacobsen, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Knoxville, Iowa, will be in Jacksonville Sunday and occupy the pulpit of State Street Presbyterian church. Dr. Jacobsen is active in Sunday school work and a member of the church extension board of the presbytery of Des Moines. He is an intimate friend of Rev. J. F. Langdon, pastor of Trinity church in this city.

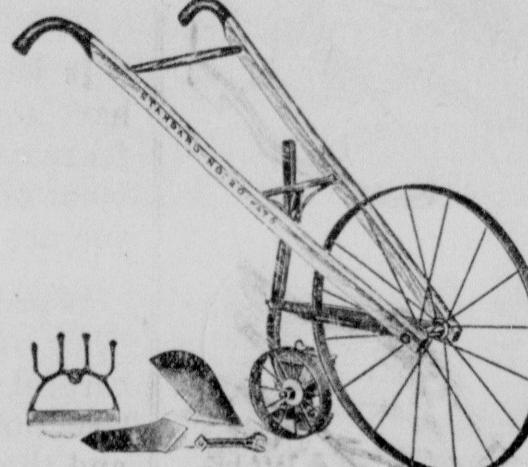
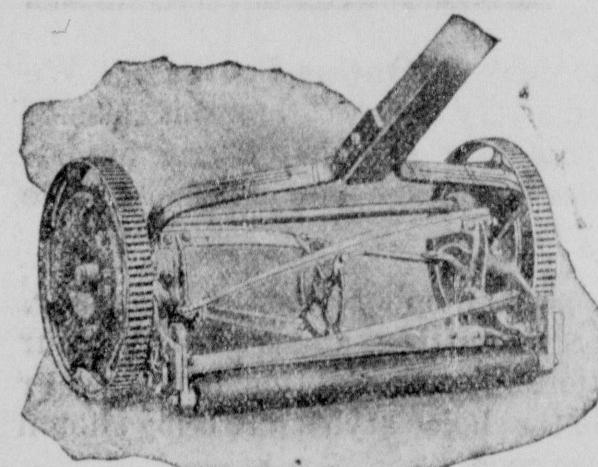
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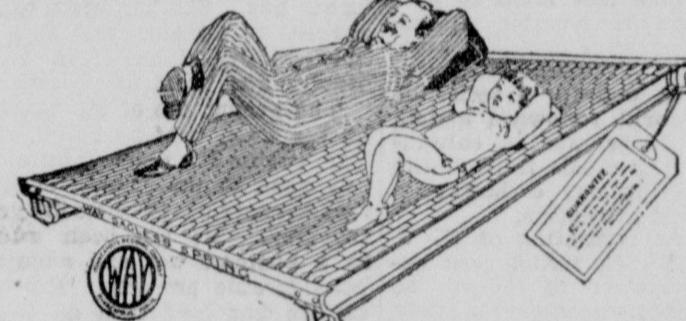
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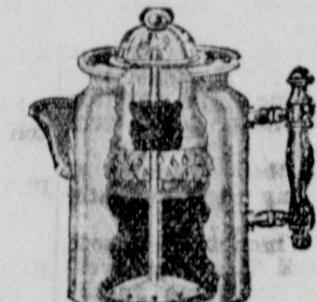


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PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED FOR WINCHESTER COMMENCEMENT

Exercises Will be Held May 18 at M. E. Church—Scott County News Notes.

Annual commencement exercises for the Winchester high school will be held Thursday night, May 18, at 8 o'clock. The following program will be given at the Methodist Episcopal church:

March.....Our Favorite Regiment.....D. Ertel Winchester Orchestra Selection, "Il Trovatore".....Verdi.....Winchester Orchestra Pilgrim's Chorus from "Tannhäuser".....Wagner High School Choral and Orchestra The Water Sprit.....T. H. Podertsy High School Girl's Glee Club Address "The Deeper Meaning of the Flag".....Senator W. Duff Piercy "Valje June".....Baxt'r Winchester Orchestra

Presentation of Diplomas.....W. D. Gibbs, Pres. Board of Education "Barbie Fritchle".....Jules Jordan High School Choral and Orchestra SoloMiss Frances Coultais

Charles Quintal of Naples was a business visitor here Thursday.

W. L. Bagshaw was attending to business matters in Springfield Wednesday.

William Wells has returned from a short trip to East St. Louis.

Charles Moses returned Wednesday from a trip to Missouri.

George Woodall and Ed Pleper were among Winchester visitors in St. Louis this week.

Mrs. Charles Burns of Alsey was a Winchester visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Carl F. Gorman and children left Thursday afternoon for a visit in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vanner of Bluffs were shopping in Winchester Thursday.

A number of Winchester Masons went to White Hall Thursday evening to take part in some special lodge work.

Mrs. M. A. Henderson and daughter Shirley were Wednesday visitors in St. Louis.

Fast colors, Faultless fitting neglige shirts, \$1.00 up. FRANK BYRNS Hat Store.

MAY MORNING BREAKFAST

The annual May Morning Breakfast under the auspices of the Woman's club will be held at Grace church Saturday morning, May 13th at 11 o'clock. Tickets may be purchased at the Miller Hat Shop Wednesday p.m., May 10th.

DOCTORS ATTENTION.

The Illinois Traction company will give you excellent service and appreciate your patronage in using their line to attend the convention of the State Medical society at Champaign May 16, 17 and 18. You can leave C. & A. 6:10 a.m., take a parlor car on the traction line from Springfield at 9 a.m., arrive Champaign 12:25. You can leave 8:25 Wabash, connect with limited train on the traction line at Springfield 11 a.m., arrive Champaign 2:25 p.m.

SPECIAL SHOWING

New Gage Models

An exclusive new dressy hat, for the NORTH or COAST wear.

A new Lingerie hat for wear with white dresses.

Iceland Furs

The new white velvet hats, black velvet hats.

Robinson's Hat Shop

Ayers Bank Bldg.

CHILD OF DR. AND MRS. HARDIN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mildred Hardin and Two Others Lost Lives When Fast Santa Fe Train Crashed Into Car in Which They Were Riding.

A Los Angeles paper has been received here giving an account of an accident in which Miss Mildred Hardin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Hardin, formerly of this city, was killed along with two girl companions, at Santa Anna, Calif. The three were killed when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a fast Santa Fe train. Mildred Hardin was thirteen years of age and her companions were respectively ten and thirteen. The parents of the girls were with them in the car and escaped serious injury. The party, together with another automobile load, had left Los Angeles for the beach below San Onofre, where it was the intention to spend the night and following day.

At the little town of Airville the state highway from the north approaches at a sharp angle with, and on the east side of, the Santa Fe. Mr. Ruess, who was driving the car, failed to see or hear an approaching train which was not scheduled to stop at that station. Persons nearby shouted a warning to him as he kept driving forward with the car, but his view of the track was obstructed by the station and freight cars and he did not have time to clear the crossing before the locomotive struck the rear part of the automobile and all the occupants were hurled out. One child was killed instantly and her body was carried for half a mile on the cowcatcher, and the other two little girls died soon afterward.

Dr. and Mrs. Hardin will be remembered by a number of Jacksonville people. Dr. Hardin was an osteopath who practiced here for some time and Mrs. Hardin is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds. The family when living in Jacksonville occupied the home property of Mrs. Sarah Hockenbush at the corner of Grove and Prospect street.

The groom, tho of the same name, as his wife, is of no blood relation. For twenty-six years Samuel Nunes has been in the employ of William Nunes, serving for fifteen years as foreman. He has been successful in a business way and accumulated considerable property. His manner of life has been such as to entitle him to the esteem and confidence of the public and he ranks well among Jacksonville citizens. Mr. and Mrs. Nunes will at once begin housekeeping in property owned by the groom—not far from the bride's old home. Because of the recent death of the bride's mother the wedding was a very quiet event, but a number of handsome gifts received attested the esteem and good wishes of relatives and friends.

10c quart box for fancy strawberries. Zell's grocery.

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE.
Joseph Gomes has returned from Quincy, where he has been laboring in the interest of the smoke consumer in which he is interested. With C. W. Johns, inventor of the device, he started yesterday morning at 8 from Quincy, made a number of stops along the way, one of an hour to help a man with a car out of commission out of trouble, and traveling 195 miles arrived here at four p.m., in a Stearns-Knight car.

Last Sunday he was on the Steamboat G. W. Hill on the Mississippi river when a violent storm arose. There were some three hundred excursionists on board and the waves ran high. A river boat is not constructed to withstand much of such experience, being built with a flat bottom so it will run wherever the ground is a bit damp and in this case the craft rocked fearfully. A very skillful pilot was at the wheel and managed the boat admirably. Women screamed and even men were sorely afraid and finally the pilot was obliged to run the boat into shore in a small inlet among the trees and stay there till the storm subsided. For a while there was great excitement and it looked as if there would be serious trouble.

L. B. Haynes was chosen custodian of the first ward playground.

The thanks of the board were voted Peter Bonansinga for generosity in giving fruit for feeding the monkeys.

The secretary announced that several persons had signified a willingness to give rabbits for the park. A number of wild bunnies have taken up their residence there and are occupying some vacant tile.

Owners of dogs please keep your canines out of the park. Wandering dogs found in the park will be disposed of promptly. Only a few days ago a worthless cur caught a wild rabbit there and tore it to pieces.

William M. Ballard of Springfield was in the city Thursday on business connected with the Hotel Douglas, which his firm operates.

DOGS IN NICHOLS PARK.

The park board has no desire to be arbitrary or unreasonable in the matter of dogs in Nichols park but when a worthless cur catches and mauls an innocent rabbit it is time to sit up and take notice.

There is no hunting in the park and there is no occasion to take a dog tire.

The park is for other purposes.

A few days ago a man had two dogs in the park with him and they acted as if they would attack the custodian and had he been less courageous he might have been severely bitten.

The law permits the destruction of stray dogs in such a place and while the custodian and policeman have orders to act with caution and prudence they are also instructed

not to give a stray dog positively without an owner along an opportunity to enter the park the second time.

Executive committee — W. W. Watson, A. Williamson, J. O. Strubinger, S. M. Dickason, and T. D. Taylor.

Banquet—J. Weber, S. M. Dickason.

Finance—W. Williamson, J. O. Strubinger.

Decorations—A. L. Jones, F. A. Retallic, Mrs. Cora Bright.

Autos—S. M. Dickason, L. F. Bright.

Reception—J. Weber, O. Williamson, J. McTucker, T. A. Retallic, W. W. Watson, L. F. Bright, J. O. Strubinger, J. A. Hull, C. H. Hurt, G. W. Nations, T. D. Taylor, W. B. Powell, W. A. Strubinger, C. H. Wike, N. R. Davis, William Hazen, T. J. Jones, R. W. Hart, W. S. Gillie, John Penney.

High grade chocolates; Princess.

THE BOND TAX COST.

Read these figures and note what a small addition to your taxes the proposed bond issue would mean.

If your taxes are:

\$5 add just 20 cents.

\$10 add just 40 cents.

\$15 add just 60 cents.

\$20 add just 80 cents.

\$25 add just \$1.00.

\$30 add just \$1.20.

\$35 add just \$1.40.

\$40 add just \$1.60.

\$45 add just \$1.80.

\$50 add just \$2.00.

\$100 add just \$4.00.

The amounts grow less each year as the bonds are paid.

The first taxes payable on this will come in May, 1918. The tax levy could not be made until Feb.

1917. The tax would be extended by the County Clerk in December, 1917, and final collection made by the sheriff in May, 1918.

REBEKAH NO. 13.

Initiation tonight. All members and visitors invited to attend. Refreshments following the work.

Mayme Berry, N. G. Edna Colby, Secretary.

Hear Van Katwijk the Dutch Pianist at 1. W. C. Friday, May 12. 50c admission.

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for our haberdashery department



Ask us to show you the new summer comfort feature—the low Kut-Vee-Nek—the underwear style for all purpose comfort—plenty of ease for indoor or outdoor sports.



We've an underwear style for every want—Quarter, long and no sleeve.

Knee, 3-4, or long legs. Stouts or slims—all weights and sizes.

50c to \$3.00

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50c the suit and up

Light weight pajamas and night shirts—1-4 sleeve and V-Neck or collars. 50c to \$2.50.

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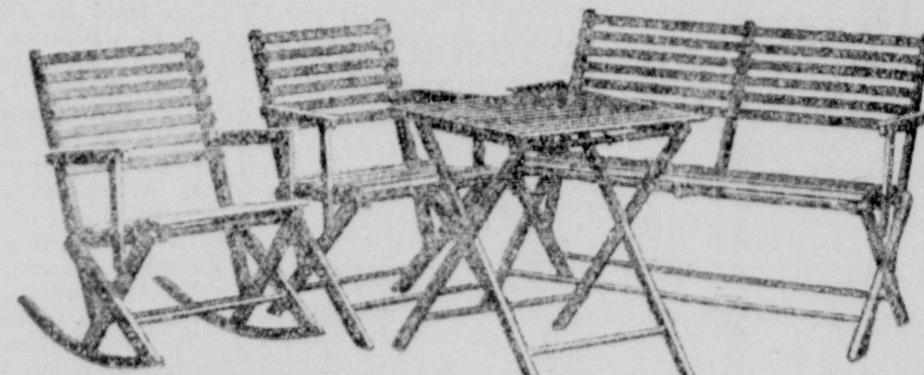
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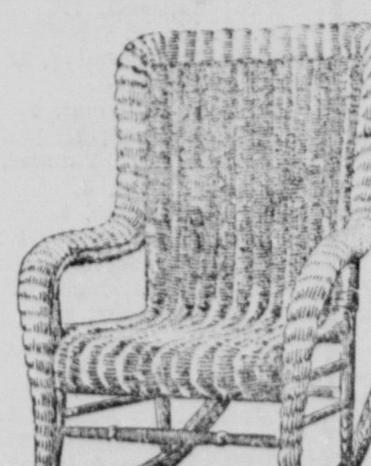
A wide selection of handsome novelties, including Reed and Kaltex, Fibre pieces in ivory, brown and leaf green finish; genuine French Willow in natural shade; black and white painted breakfast room suites; Old Hickory, Mission designs in solid oak, fumed finish, Raffia and China Grass; Couch Hammocks, etc., all decidedly attractive in value, style and finish.



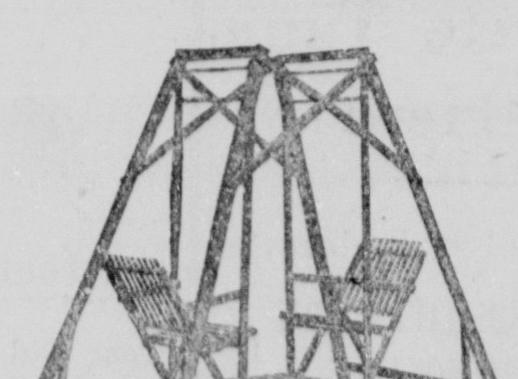
Set of Four Pieces

25 sets of the above on sale Monday, in our new basement show room. These are well made, and include Table, Settee and Rocker, finished Natural and Green. They are worth easily double the price named, and the set completely furnishes the porch.

These sets are splendid for the lawn also. Sold only in complete sets. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for the four pieces \$3.95



Kaltex Fiber rocker, large roll arm, close weave, very durable and slightly. Finished leaf green \$2.95



Our two passenger Child's Swing Special should prove very attractive. It is well made and durable, finished natural and green. Quantity limited. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at \$1.95

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